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Stan Hadden remembered as a leader of human rights and authority on public health.

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Making Noise - Does Civil Disobedience Work?

by Kate Moore

he faces looking through the plexiglass riot helmets were filled with hatred and fear as the officers tried to regain order. Angry activists demanded and chanted, threw rocks and bottles and the officers snapped under pressure.

No, this was not the latest demonstration at the Capitol for gay rights, this was May 4, 1970 at Kent State University -- where 13 people were shot and four people were murdered.

The images of the confrontation are startlingly similar to those of present day gay rights demonstrations. Windows broken; buildings burned; officers angry, afraid, and on the edge of losing

Different types of civil disobedience have been used in efforts to end an unjust war, to attain civil rights, to acquire decent work conditions, and to increase the funding for the treatment of people with AIDS. The success of civil disobedience actions depend upon the type of disobedience and its method of execution.

Civil disobedience is generally. targeted against an unresponsive government. To create change in the arena of American politics, activists feel that they must target the policy makers -- people who control the money, public opinion and the political process.

The labor movement used the nonviolent forms of civil disobedience to achieve decent work conditions. Though picketing, striking, and work slow-downs, workers achieved their goals. A collective, working for a clear and common goal.

During the civil rights movement, the Congress for Racial Equality, led by Rev. Martin Luther King Jr., adopted and advocated a policy of non-violent resistance. The Montgomery Bus Boycott of 1955, was a protest against segregation. One year later, segregation on busses was prohibited by a court

The 1963 March on Washington for civil rights was greeted by a compassionate, caring young president.



John F. Kennedy met with the leaders of the March and congratulated them on their dignity and fervor of demonstration, and he promised to battle for sweeping civil rights legislation.

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The March on Washington for Lesbian and Cay Rights in 1987 brought over 600,000 people to the nation's capitol, but the leaders were not greeted by a receptive president. The second largest civil rights demonstration in the history of this country was seriously, conspicuously absent from the front pages of the majority of the nation's newspapers.

To arouse the consciousness of the American public, both gay rights and AIDS activists must understand how to manipulate the media. According to Richard Clutterbuck, author of "The Media and Political Violence," "Sadly, the national news media won't send a reporter or a camera unless violence or other disruption is expected."

Unfortunately, by creating a volatile atmosphere, the media is sure to attend, but the likelihood of injury or even death through violent confrontation increases.

"Without the media no one will hear our demands for the release of AIDS drugs" said Robert James of ACT-UP San Francisco, "People are left to die because they don't see we are human.

and worth caring about." James says, "Being arrested for throwing 'blood' on the Capitol is worth it if one person realizes it's homophobia that's killed over 125,000 people."

The methods used by AIDS activists to demand more funding for research, drugs and education have included the approved non-violent marches and rallies, but activists have also employed civil disobedience techniques such as chaining themselves to the doors of the Center for Disease Control.

The chalk outlines of bodies with the names of people who have died from AIDS were etched on the cement walkways of California's Capitol building. The "die-in" served as an attempt to show the policy makers of the state a visual reminder of how many people have died. They were forced to walk over the dead to get to work.

The gay rights movement has employed boycotts to motivate change in society. The financial strength of the subculture is well represented in figures that state that gays and lesbians earn nearly three times the income per household than non-gays. The most recent success of this type of civil disobedience is shown in the resolution of the 1990-91 Miller/Marlboro boycott.

The Phillip Morris Corporation had been donating to the political campaign of overtly anti-gay legislator Jesse Helms (R-NC). In retaliation gays and lesbians across the country boycotted its products and brought the multi-national corporation to its knees. Phillip Morris is now committed to donating over two million dollars to AIDS agencies and gay and lesbian grass roots organizations in 1991 alone.

Civil disobedience can be a tool when used in a truly democratic country. The right to assemble, to draw attention to grievance, and to demand change is the fundamental right of all Americans.

The options when participating in civil disobedience are predictable and clear. The predicted reactions of those in power are not.

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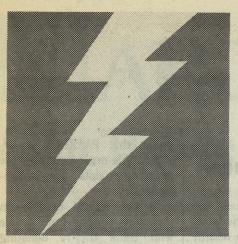
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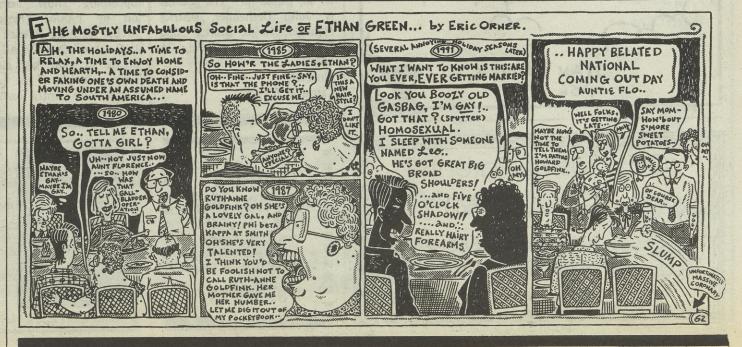
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So Much for **Unity and Caring**

Dear Editor,

Last February 9th, my life partner Sonny, was nearly murdered in a gay bashing. Seven other gays and lesbians were also attacked. The responding police did not file reports, call an ambulance, or pursue the assailants.

I wrote to over a dozen politicians and newspapers to try to get some justice. Sonny worked his butt off running a flea market in 1990 to get RCDC out of debt. We got no help or any calls from anyone in RCDC. We were directors of Our River City Family for years but we got no calls or help from anyone in ORCF, or from any other gay organization! Mayor Anne

Rudin was the only one who called to see if Sonny was okay and she contacted the police department to help us get some justice.

Sonny and the other victims worked through the Sacramento Human Rights Commission and I contacted the ACLU. The ACLU sent Chief Kearns a strong letter, the Human Rights Commission worked with Sgt. Mike Uyeda, and we finally got justice! Deputy Police Cheif Lee Dohm was no help, he lied to us

On 9-25-91, our 21st anniversary, the four gay-bashers were sentenced. The one who attacked Sonny got 5 years in prison, the other three got three years apiece. The assailants were Afro-American. A white man, who started the

whole incident by insulting the Afro-Americans, was given 6 months. The two responding police officers were fired.

Well, so much for unity, caring and love in the gay and lesbian community! People, if you want justice, you had better get involved and give a damn!

John D. Helm

Boycott Target and Mervyns

I would like to urge other members of the gay & lesbian community to join me in boycotting Target Stores & also Mervyn's, which is owned by the same corporation, Dayton-Hudson.

This boycott is because of the psychological test that was given to people applying for security guard positions at Target. The true/false questions were discriminatory against homosexuals. Examples are: true or false, "I am very strongly attracted by members of my own sex," and "I have never indulged in any unusual sex practices."

The state appeals court in San Francisco issued a preliminary injunction barring Target from giving these tests but Target says they will appeal. Even if they win the appeal, I for one, will never shop at either store again. I am not someone who would be considered an activist on a large

Also, I am writing to the District Manager of Target to spell this out for him and if anyone else feels inclined to do so, please do. The address is: John Derheimer, District Manager, Target Stores, 2050 E.Beamer St., Woodland, CA 95695.

Sincerely,

Dear Editor,

scale, but enough is enough.

Carrie B. Clayton

Lesbian and **Proud not Queer**

Dear Editor.

No matter how much the gay community uses the word "queer", in an effort to disarm those who use it against us, the word will always impart a negative connotation in people's minds. It means odd and weird and it does not serve us well.

I understand all the reasoning for using the word. I'm not suffering from internalized homophobia either. But my skin rankles when people refer to themselves as "queers."

How can we possibly stand up and demand that the world respect us when we call ourselves "queers"? The ugliness of the word will never change no matter how much or how long we use it. One can embrace the word with pride as much as they want but the rest of society will never see any beauty or intelligence in

We've got the media's attention. Now is the time for us to make ourselves known for the good, worthwhile, creative beautiful, honest, integral and dynamic people we are.

I am a woman, a lesbian, a homosexual, and a human being. But I am not a "queer", thank you.

Melba Duncan

What about Accountability?

Dear Editor,

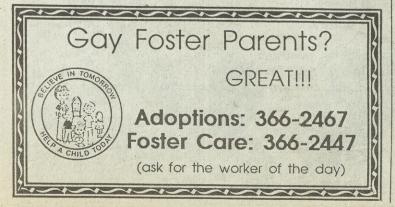
I'm very concerned to have received a notice about an upcoming "show" being put on by PAARC (Performing Artists for AIDS Related Charities), especially in light of the article in your last issue in which officials of the Lambda Community Center warned the public that PAARC is an irresponsible organization whose spending habits are uncontrollable.

Is the money to put on this show coming from people who think they're donating money to people with AIDS? The "uncontrollable spending" for the last show put on by PAARC (that is, Robert Becker) was aparently the reason the money collected this past summer was turned over to Lambda for safekeeping. I attended one of the shows and there were no more than 20 people in the whole audience. Just how much did he make, and how much did he spend? I think anyone who collects money for charity should provide the public (perhaps through your paper?) with a complete accounting of exactly what was collected, what was spent, and how much went to the charity. Whose money is paying for PAARC's office space and their telephone bills? Who is paying for the printing and the mailing of these announcements?

I expect the pennies I brought to the Rainbow Festival to be turned over to a trustworthy organization. saw Randy Gray distributing fliers night after night before the Rainbow Festival announcing his Pennies Project and I turned over my money because of his personal reputation. I am not happy with this turn of events, and am worried that the public might be duped into giving money to PAARC, who somehow is now also collecting pennies for an "AIDS Emergency Fund" as well as giving shows.

From your article, I gather that the Rainbow Festival money and all the other money collected and donated

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Stan Hadden - AIDS Policy Maker and Friend

by Stacy Selmants

cknowledged statewide as a leader in the fight against AIDS, Stan Hadden 35, who died peacefully at home on December 2 of an HIV related illness, will be best remembered by the many people he touched personally as well as politically.

Hadden grew up on a farm in Michigan, and left home to join the Air Force, where he was the subject of investigations about his homosexuality. Charges against him were never proved, but the experience, according to his own recounts, led him to reject a closeted lifestyle. Hadden found a job in Senator Roberti's office, and rose from being a computer operator and programmer to becoming the office's expert on AIDS issues.

Known for his playfulness almost as much as for his political savvy, Hadden was one of the few men at the Capitol with no serious detractors, one of the only staffers who could amicably thrash out issues with the opposition and still remain calm, pleasant and poised.

According to Kathryn Duke, who was the senior staffer assigned to the Senate Select Committee on AIDS, Hadden found a way to accept and intereact with everyone. "Stan was always able to find a middle

ground, a way to relate to people, even those of the opposition."

After the knowledge that he was HIV positive became well known, Hadden, according to Duke, became "a constant reminder," and "the face of the



Stan Hadden.

issue," to many resistant legislators who avoided confronting AIDS related topics.

Duke credits her rapid assimilation of AIDS policy and issues to Hadden's tutoring. "A lot of staffers guard their knowledge,

their turf at the Capitol. But Stan was so giving and welcoming. He not only would answer my questions, he'd call me all the time, and ask, 'What about this?"

Hadden's many legislative accomplishments include: the 1983 passage of Senate Bill 910, which created the California AIDS Advisory Committee, where he later served as a member, and SB 2244 in 1984, requiring development of a plan to provide HIV related treatment, services and preventative health information. He also was the behind the scenes sponsor of pilot programs involving hospice and home health care, including development of the One Stop Program Model, known in Sacramento as CARES, an agency which primarily serves low income AIDS patients. Hadden was also Past President and a founding member of the Sacramento AIDS Foundation.

According to Bruce Decker, a close friend who served with Hadden on the state's AIDS Advisory Committee, "Stan was just always THERE. He kept pushing things along, until it all just got done." "Stan provided a

significant service that was unique to his time," Decker mused. "I don't think anyone else could've done so much in such a short time. And if you look at any piece of AIDS policy or legislation, it will always lead you back to Stanley's doorstep."

Hadden's boss agreed. Roberti, in a statement issued after Hadden's death, said, "I deeply admire Stan for his dedication and effectiveness...In his quiet and dignified way, Stan emerged as one of the most respected Continued on page 20

Fairy Godfather Fun

by Chris Narloch

F or the second year in a row, the "Fairy Godfathers" will be bringing a show of holiday cheer to AIDS patients at UCD who might otherwise face a bleak holiday.

The performance, which will be held in the new auditorium at the Med Center, is slated for Friday, December 21st at 2:00 p.m.



Ray Lewis and Stacey.

The production is the brainchild of Stacey, who organized the "Godfathers" in 1990, and it will take place under the banner of "Stocking Stuffers." While not strictly a "Fairy Godfathers" show, it will include many of your favorite entertainers. Racine, Continued on page 6

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Original Art on Sale to Benefit AIDS Foundation

by D. Oldham

he Michael Himovitz Gallery, located at 1020 10th St. downtown is still accepting bids for the original art used in the book <u>HIV From A to Z</u> through the month of December.

The original artwork, from such notable as Margaret Maye, Mirium Davis and ReBe-

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cca Gozion, is on view at the gallery and will be sold to the highest bidders. The work is being held over from the original auction which took place on December 1st. The proceeds from the auction will go directly to the Sacramento AIDS Foundation.

HIV From A to Z is a self care manual for people who have been diagnosed with the HIV virus. It contains medical information written in easy to understand language as well as artwork by Sacramento's best

artists. The book is available for \$15.00 (plus tax) at the Sacramento AIDS Foundation, 1900 K Street, Suite 200, Archival Framing, 1729 L Street and the Michael Himovitz Gallery. Stop by the Himovitz Gallery and bid on some of the fine artworks that are available. It is a great opportunity to add to your collection and support a great cause at the same time!

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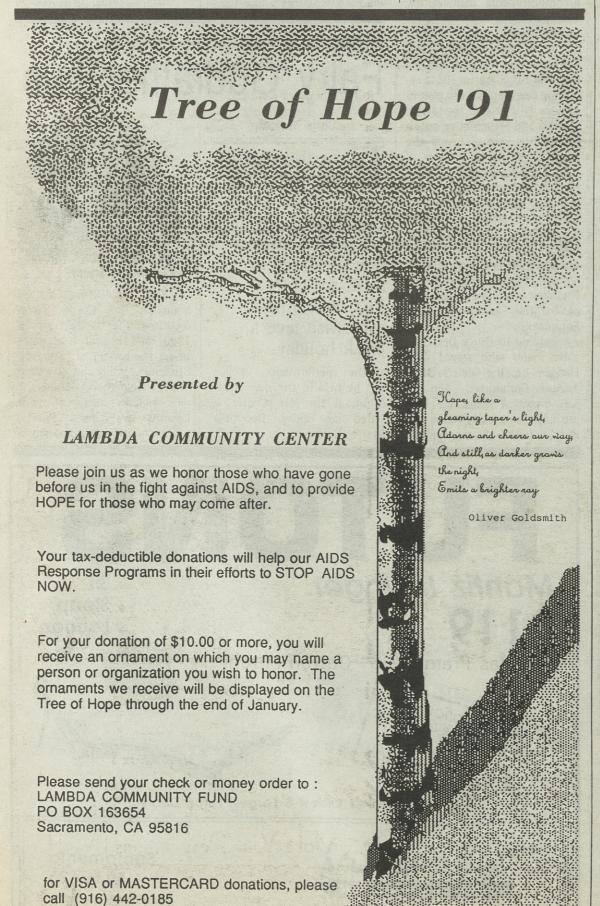
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Francine Fishpaw, LaKish and Large Marge are all expected to appear.

The "Godfathers," a group of professional drag-queens who perform in and around town year-round, help raise money for AIDS-related causes. In addition to producing the musical show, "Stocking Stuffers" has generously donated 100 stockings and 50 Christmas trees to the east wing of UCDMC. This bequest was made possible by a public performance on November 7th that raised \$1,800.

Attendance was high at last year's event, and the staff at the Med Center looks forward to the group's return. Stacey said they couldn't ask for a more grateful audience, and the performers felt genuinely moved by the reaction, For some patients it may be the last live entertainment they see.

The show is open to the public and will include a combination of lip-synching and live performance. So get your butts down to the Med Center on the 21st (no tips during the show, please) or donate to next year's gala by contacting Stacey at FACES. If laughter heals, then the "Fairy Godfathers" are definetly doing their part to ease the suffering of people with AIDS.





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A Personal Perspective on Gay Bashing

by Arturo Jackson III

fter enjoying a few beers at the South of Market bar - the Eagle - Eric Carlson and I left at 10:30 p.m. to go to the Lone Star bar a few blocks away. Little did we know that within minutes after leaving the Eagle, Eric and I would become the latest gay bashing victims in San Francisco.

I didn't think much about the group of men hanging out on the sidewalk a block away as I left the bar. I also didn't give much thought to one young man who hastily moved from the group of men and began walking immediately



Arturo Jackson III.

ahead of us, and in the same direction. Our inattention almost proved to be a fatal mistake.

Suddenly, and without provocation, the he turned and began to pummel Eric with his fists. I noticed the flash of the knife the man held in his hand as I instinctively began to kick him. His attention quickly turned to me, he jumped up and dealt a blow to my chest. I yelled "RUN" to Eric as I noticed the crowd of young men who seemed to be moving toward

us.

We ran across the intersection at 11th and Harrison streets, and yelled out a warning to two leathermen who were heading toward the scene of the assault. Just as the men ran over and offered their assistance, I noticed that the front of my shirt was bloody and realized that I had been stabbed in the chest. I began feeling faint and laid on the sidewalk as the leathermen flagged down a passing police

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Court OKs Military Ban on Gays Due to AIDS Phobia

by Stacy Selmants

he military's policy on refusing to admit homosexuals was upheld on December 9, after a U.S. district judge in Washington D.C. ruled that the ban was "justified" to prevent the spread of AIDS.

This is the first decision (among other court decisions upholding the rights of the military to deny entry to gays and lesbians) which directly makes a correlation between the elimination of known homosexuals from the military and the potential for keeping the

HIV virus from infecting the personnel in the armed services. In his response to questions, Oliver Gasch, the presiding judge, said, "The power to protect the armed forces from venereal disease is ample to sustain the power to protect them from Continued on page 18





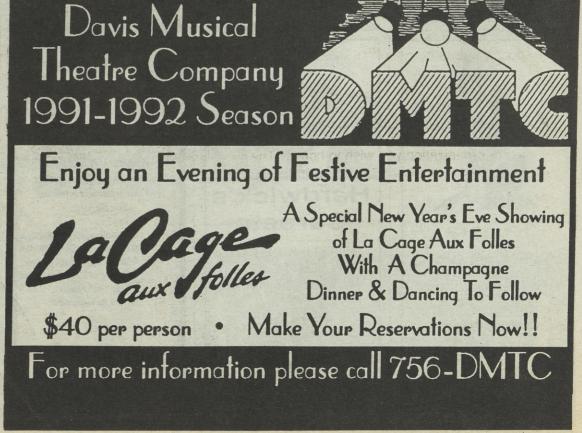
Anti-Rights Law Held

by Stacy Selmants

hile a pending civil suit brought by an outgoing city council member is decided, a judge's restraining order will temporarily prevent Concord's implementation of Measure M, the anti-gay rights initiative passed by the voters on November 5.

The suit, filed by lame duck City Council member Ron Mullin on behalf of James Jester, who works for the city of Concord's leisure services division, states that the terms of Measure M are so ambiguous and far Continued on page 18





Home Cooking and Homophobia in the South

by Christopher Narloch

In California we can be thankful for a recent ruling against Target stores and their anti-gay and lesbian employee testing. However, along Southern highways, a fast growing chain of restaurants named "Cracker Barrel" has fired hundreds of gays and gotten off scott-free.

With headquarters in Lebanon, Tenn. (in the Bible-belt
section of the South), Cracker
Barrel serves up a combination
of Southern Hospitality, homestyle cooking and homophobia.
This year, executives at the
corporation went after gays
with a vengeance, issuing a
directive instructing managers
nationwide to fire, on the
spot, any employee who failed
to demonstrate "normal heterosexual values."

The restaurant specifically targeted gay waiters whose mannerisms were considered "offensive" to diners. Some

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employees were terminated solely for being effeminate and were never asked about their lifestyles. Others, including cooks and managers were asked point blank if they were gay and then received their walking papers. The only reason given to stunned workers was that homosexuality is "immoral" and incompatible with the company's image.

Normally this type of discrimination is less blatant, but Cracker Barrel went company

Normally this type of discrimination is less blatant, but Cracker Barrel went company wide to ask male and female employees about their sexual orientation. Compounding their insensitivity, the chain filed state employee records branding ex-workers as being in violation of company policy (i.e "this employee is gay".) Within a week after the memo was released it was rescinded, but Cracker Barrel refused to rehire dismissed staff and quickly replaced them.

Dan Evans, chairman of the restaurant's 100 plus outlets, later issued a statement saying the company is an Equal Opportunity Employer which hires and fires on the basis of merit. Queer Nation, pro-gay activists, were not impressed

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and quickly took action against the chain. Confronting unsuspecting patrons as they got off their tour buses, Queer Nation members used a vocal non-violent approach to protest what they termed "gay bigotry." Cracker Barrel refused to negotiate and repeat-

edly had the demonstrators arrested for trespassing.

What is almost as disturbing as the lay-offs is the fact that Cracker Barrel stock remains stable, and they continue to expand saying they can hire and fire as they see fit. Unfortunately, for now,

they can get away with it since sexual preference is not covered under federal civil rights laws (only 4 states are on the books banning the practice.) How bizarre that in the land of opportunity, firing people simply for being gay is still legal.

LETTERS

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this summer is safe with Lambda. But who is watching PAARC and monitoring the money they're collecting for their "non-profit unincorporated association?"

A Concerned Reader

Lambda Letters

Dear Editor,

We can't close the year without saying a heartfelt thank you to all of you. You have been very faithful and supportive throughout the year. On average, 65 to 70 percent of you return your signed letters to us each month. That's an excellent rate of return in this business. You've also been very generous in your financial support. We couldn't have run the program without that support. Finally, Lambda Letters has grown to over 300 members and have mailed over 8500 letters throughout 1991.

We often have occasion to speak to people at the national direct lobbying organizations such as the Human Rights Campaign Fund, The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force and National NOW. They tell us there is no other grass root letter writing project that is as effective as Lambda Letters. They wish there were other groups out there like us. They say that what you and we are doing together is essential to building a new and better world for ourselves.

Thank you, and have a wonderful holiday season!
Yours truly,
Lambda Letters

Lambda Players Ungrateful

Dear Editor,

After reading the "bash" article in the latest ISSUE regarding the Lambda Players I have to totally disagree with it's author.

1. At 6 p.m. on the eve of the dinner, the Lambda Players had confirmed 99 dinners, seating was available, and food prepared for that number.

2. 27 extra dinner tickets were sold "at the door" leaving the staff with no idea which entrees were ordered.

3. Seating for the extra people was set up in the rear of the building.

4. People who had purchases "show tickets only" were seated at dinner tables.

5. The Players wanted dinner served at 6:30, with people still lined up down the stairs.

6. "Entrees split in half?" Please - NY Steaks and Chicken breasts are already proportioned, and whoever wrote the article must dine at the finest of hot dog stands, because steak rolls were substituted for dinner rolls, not hot dog "buns." As for the hours' delay, the building was cleared by 10:30 pm.

7. In the end, Joseph generously donated an additional \$200 to the Players, from the food profits, and all seemed satisfied. It should be mentioned that there was no charge for the room.

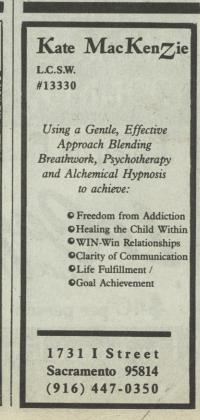
8. Responsibility for this evening of confusion lies with the inexperienced person at the door.

9. Bottom line - I feel Joseph and his "caterers" are entitled to a total apology and a refund of the \$200.

I had no problems with any of the numerous dinner functions at Josephs' facilities. His food has been excellent, the service impeccable, and he <u>ALWAYS</u> had seating for extras in case of overflow.

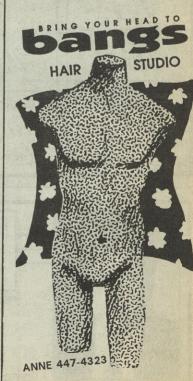
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Lesbian Joke gets Candidate in Trouble

emocratic presidential hopeful Senator Bob Kerrey, a Democrat from Nebraska, found himself in hot water over a sexual "joke" he made about lesbians on Nov. 15.

The Washington Times reported that Kerrey told the joke to Democratic presidential candidate Gov. Bill Clinton of Arkansas at a fundraising dinner in Manchester, N.H.

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By Nov. 19 gay activists were at Kerrey's D.C. campaign headquarters protesting. The very next evening, however, Vice President Dan Quayle's Press Secretary, David Beckwith, reportedly told a "joke" about lesbians, at a Bush / Quayle campaign fund-raiser, in reference to Kerrey's joke and the outrage gays were expressing at the Democrat.

"The good news is that the lesbians are upset with Kerrey. The bad news is that they'll be coming our way to support us," the Washington Post reported Beckwith as saying.

Kerrey's joke was picked up by a C-SPAN microphone, though Kerrey and Clinton reportedly were unaware they were being taped. C-SPAN policy prevents it from releasing taped segments when public officials are unaware they are being recorded. But the Times quoted two unidentified sources' accounts of the joke, which involves two women and Democratic presidential candidate and former California Gov. Jerry Brown:

"The two women are sitting at a bar," the Times reported Kerry as saying. "Jerry Brown enters the bar and expresses interest in one of the two women. A man standing near-

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by tells him not to get his hopes up - the women are lesbians. When Brown asks how the bystander knows this, he is told, quite graphically, how one of the women takes pleasure in performing a particular sex act on the other."

"Mr. Brown replies, in the punchline, that he, too, would like to perform that sex act on the woman, and asks 'Does this make me a lesbian'?"

On Nov. 19, Kerrey issued an apology amid demands from gay activists that he make amends by signing on as a cosponsor to the federal gay civil rights bill. But Kerrey spokespersons contacted at his campaign office in D.C. and his Senate office on Capitol Hill have said the senator has no plans to sign on "any time soon."

Kerrey has enjoyed gay support in the past for his record on gay-related issues; The National Cay and Lesbian Task Force gave Kerrey a 92 percent approval rating for his voting record in the last Congress.

During a private conversation at a roast, there were a lot of inappropriate jokes being told and repeated, Kerrey said in his statement. "I made a mistake in repeating one. I shouldn't have. To those I offended, I apologize," he said.

Heavyweight Gives to AIDS

ready weight boxing champion George Forman donated \$100,000 to AIDS Foundation Houston for its Stone Soup Food pantry. According to The New Voice, Foreman's donation is designated for food pur-

chases. Linda Mullins, AFH interim executive director, said that the donation will "guarantee the present level of services for the next two years."

Falwell Fears for Life and Money

laiming that gay rights activists were out to kill him in Los Angeles, fundamentalist minister Rev. Jerry Falwell has sent a fundraising letter to his constituents asking them for \$25 or \$35 each. "It is truly a miracle that I am alive today," he wrote. "I have never needed your help more." Falwell was in L.A. in support of Gov. Pete Wilson, who in October vetoed a gay civil rights bill. Gay and lesbian activists picketed Falwell's hotel, prompting the reverend to make a hasty exit out the back. 1

Amelia's Closes After 13 Years

aturday, Nov. 16 marked the end of an era with the closing of Amelia's, one of the premiere Lesbian bars in the country.

Ameilia's was designed to be San Francisco's party bar for lesbians. It opened for business in December 1978 and soon became a foundation of the thriving Valencia Street strip of women's businesses and culture. The two floors of dancing was just part of a unique environment which brought women together in a way that has never happened before.

Amelia's, according to Rikki Streicher, the bar's owner, closed because of the changing Continued on page 16















RUMOR HAS IT

Anytime you feel the spirit of the season, you know Santa is near. Rob Thorbin has been working overtime this year, making appearances at parties all over town. At the Faces Formal Christmas Party Dec. 15, Rob was seen forcing candy on everyone in attendance. I'd hate to see Rob when the post holiday depression sets in. . .just choose a counselor from the business directory in the back of the paper Rob (I mean Santa).

Please Recycle this Newspaper

The Cifted Cardener was the winner of the Light Up Midtown contest for their excellent holiday lighting. David Kwong was awarded the first place trophy at the Midtown Business Association Christmas Party at the Town House on Dec. 10.

The Downtown Merchants Plaza had a Christmas tree decorating contest and the Sacramento AIDS Foundation tree won first prize thanks to volunteer decorating elves Chuck Thornley, Jerry Alley, and Tony Rameriez. The prize of \$1000 was awarded to the Foundation.

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Lily Andrews.

The staff of the latest ISSUE has been running around this month trying to get ready for the opening of our new office at 709 28th Street. Lily Andrews has been up to her eyebrows in paint while publisher Kate Moore is waiting impatiently on hold trying to get phone service hooked up. Kevin Cohee has been picking paint colors while Stacy Selmants is planning to hang a sling and a mirror in the break-room.

Speaking of slings, Mr. Leather Sacramento 1991, Randy Gray and Ms. Leather Sacramento 89-90, Jolanne Tierney are producing the Mr. and Ms. Northern California Leather Contest and it's scheduled for Feb. 29. leather details next month.

Also in the works, a Jan. 25 Sacramento Lesbians Creating Change dance. It seems SLCC members Marghe Covino and Mary Smith were seen standing outside of a West Sacramento home beating a pinata to bits in honor of Mary Smith's birthday. (She's much older than she looks.) The pinata must have had Lou Sheldon's face on it the way Marghe was whacking at it.

Marghe was also one of the speakers at The Conference, Dec. 14 at the Metropolitan Community Church. amount of people attending The Conference was depressing, with only about 30 people in attendance. But with leadership from Geni Cohen and Keith Clark a lot was accomplished and the day proved to be one of enlightenment for people





Marghe Covino.

who care enough to make a difference.

A New Years Eve Celebration that hopes unite all people of good will is the party that features the band Clan Dyken at the Eastern Star Temple. The Lambda Center is co-sponsoring the party along with the Central America Action Committee and the Sacramento County Green Party. For information call 447-7211.

Other parties happening to bring in 1992 are at local bars, including the Buffalo Club's party with Arbess Williams, Faces annual blow-out, or the wild and romping Town House. Which ever venue you choose, eat, drink and be Mary, but when it's time to go home call a cab!







What's the worst thing you ever got for Christmas?



Jeff Johnson

Last year my sister gave me a can of Kama-sutra oil and she made me open it in front of the whole family, I was so embarrassed.



Karen Guckert

Clothes from my mom, she would buy things that were totally her taste and I would have to take them all back. I hated it!



John Hylton

The news that I would be spending Christmas alone, without my family. I ended up going to MCC and helping them serve food to the homeless so it really ended up turning out great!



Linda Greene

One year I actually got a stocking full of switches and I had been really good, I didn't deserve that!



Glenn Willock

Some tacky huge underwear from my mother, I took it back, I can't believe she bought me underwear!

Dykes To Watch Out For



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17 tuesday

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A Windham Hill Winter Solstice Concert at the Crest Theater, featuring Nightnoise, Philip Aaberg and Barbara Higbie. Tickets are \$15 - \$18 at BASS/ TM Outlets, 923-2277

The Sacramento Chapter of Parents and Friends of Lesbians & Gays meets at 7 pm in the Christian Education Bldg. of St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 2391 St. Mark's Way. For more info call 655-1050.

at the Community Center Theater. Tickets

are \$6-\$35, for show times

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18 wednesday

WEDNESDAYS

Positive Alternatives, a networking group providing info on nutritional options in relation to HIV disease at the Lambda Community Center

on the 2nd Wednesday of each month from 7 pm -9 pm. For more info call 442-0185.

Freedom From Smoking Clinic at 7 pm at the Lambda Community

Center. For more info call 442-0185.

19 thursday

Global Riot, San Francisco's esbian and Gay comedy improv group presents: "Fruit cakes on Parade," a queer holiday show at 8pm at Josie's Cabaret & Juice Joint (16th

& Market San Francisco). Tickets are \$10, For reservations call 415) 861-7933. Through Dec 29

Not Even A Mouse, a holiday play presented at Theater El Dorado in Placerville. Call 626-5193 for tickets and

THURSDAYS

Being Gay Today, on cable 18 at 9 pm. One hour of lesbian & gay programming from around the country & beyond.

Women's Coming Out Group at the Lambda Community Center from 6 -7:30 pm. For more info call 442-0185.

Being Alive Living Room HIV+ support group from 2-5 pm at the Lambda Center. For more info call 442-0185.

GLAS (Gay & Lesbian Alliance of Sacramento) meets 8 pm in the Board Chambers of the Student Union CSUS. For more info call 429-1360.

20 friday

"Miracle on 34th Street" and "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn" at the Crest Theatre, 1013 K St. Mall, for show times call 442-7378. Dec 20 & 21

FRIDAYS

Country Western Dance at 7:30 pm in the activity center of River City MCC, 34th & Broadway. For info call 454-4726.

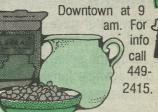
Cafe' Lambda gay & lesbian coffee house featuring selected coffees, desserts & occasional live entertainment. 8 pm midnight at the Lambda Community Center. For more

info call 442-0185.

21 saturday

Snow Hill in old Sacramento, a hill of real snow with 3 toboggan runs for family fun. 11 am -4 pm. 449-6363 for info. Dec 21 - Jan 3

Children's Breakfast with Santa at the Weinstock's



Dec 21 - 25

The Fairy Godfathers perform at UC Davis Medical Center, 2 p.m.

and also at 8 p.m. at the Western. A benefit for AIDS patients at UCD.

A Ceremony of Lessons

For more info call 444-5213

and Carols a seasonal concert by Sacramento Men's Chorus at 8 pm in the First United Methodist Church, 2100 J St. Tickets are \$8 and available at the Gifted Gardener.

22 sunday



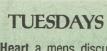
and Carols at 3 pm at the First United Methodist Church, 2100 J St. Tickets are

Ringers perform Main St. in Grass Valley.

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Heart to Heart a mens discussion group at the Sacramento AIDS Foundation from 6:30 - 8 pm. For more info call 448-

Being Gay Today, 10 pm on cable 18. One hour of lesbian & gay programming from around the country and beyond.

Gay & Lesbian Student Union meets in Rm. A-7 at 12 noon. For more info call 381-7141. Sacramento City College



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Tea Dance at FACES, 3 - 7 pm with a barbecue at 5 pm and country/ western dancing begins at 7 pm. Join the fun!

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Gay Families; a support group for gay men and lesbians with children and those considering parenthood. 4th Sunday each month at 8391 Folsom Blvd. at 6:30 pm.

For more info call 387-8862.

23 monday

MONDAYS

Women's Rap & Social at Lambda Community Center 7-9 pm. For more info call 442-0185.

Affirmation: United Methodists for Lesbian & Gay concerns meets the 1st Monday of each month at 7 pm in the social hall at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 2391 St. Mark's Way. For more info call 489-2340.

Stop Smoking a drop-in, self-help program at the Lambda Community Center at 5:30 pm. For more

info call 442-0185.

Men's Coming Out Group at Lambda Community Center from 5:30 -7 pm. For more info call 442-0185.

24 tuesday

Christmas Eve Services at the River City MCC at 7 & 11 pm. 34th & Broadway.

25 wednesday

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30 monday

B.B. King concert at the Community Center Theater at 8 pm. Tickets are \$21.75 - \$24.75 available at the Theater Box office and BASS/TM Outlets.

31 tuesday

New Year's Eve with
Funny Gay Males at
Josie's Cabaret and Juice
Joint (16th & Market in San
Francisco). Shows at 8 &
10 pm, tickets are \$10,
for ticket reservations
call 415) 861-7933.

Dec 31 - Jan 12

The Buffalo Club presents the soulful sounds of Arbess Williams and the Boll Weevils! \$5 cover. Party favors and champagne of course!

Clan Dyken at the Eastern Star Temple, 2719 K Street. Rock and Reggae music. 8:30 - 1 a.m. Tickets at Lambda and the Natural Foods Co-op, \$10.

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Jan 3 - Feb 9



"Talk to Me" photographs by Bill Pugh will be displayed at Archival Framing, 1729 L Street, with a reception for the artist on Jan 11 from 7-9 pm.

The Man of La Mancha will be presented at the Orpheum Theater in San Francisco. Tickets are available at Curran Theater Box Office, 445 Geary St. For more info call 415) 956-4781.

Jan 7 - Feb 2

7 tuesday

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10 friday

Memorial Service for Stan Hadden at 2pm at the St. Francis Church, 26th & K' St. For info call CARES at 443-3299.

11 saturday

A SACWN event at Cal Expo Club. 6:30 p.m. For more details and ticket info call 486-8985.

24 friday

The latest ISSUE presents a grand opening celebration at the new office 709 28th Street, 5 - 8 p.m.



Plan-It In Advance

To list your events in the Daily Plan-it, send a brief description of the event along with any graphic images you may have before the 5th of each month to: **the latest ISSUE**, P.O. Box 160584, Sacramento, CA 95816.

ENTERTAINMENT

Staying On Top - Two Artists Do It Again

by Bill Peterson

ith "Diamonds and Pearls" and "Dangerous", two of pop music's most prominent artists find themselves asking that eternal question: "How can I stay on top?"



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Michael Jackson.

Circumstances surrounding their musings differ as much as their respective personas. For Prince, the question seems to be reflective of his reportedly dwindling revenues. So, after steadily declining album sales, we are now presented with yet another schizophrenic gem in "Diamonds and Pearls" meant to please everyone and rejuvenate his superstar status. As usual, Prince (with his new band The New Power Generation) veers maniacally from style to style with a few Prince standbys: for the bedside seduction we get the falsetto "Insatiable", for his bassheavy workouts we get "Thunder" and the irresistible "Gett Off", while several songs ("Walk Don't Walk" & "Push") promote his ever present positivity crusade for healthy self-image - "The sun will shine upon you one day/if you're always walking your way."

To fortify his ever evolving sound (and to increase his chances for having several hit singles), Prince has finally added rap to his repertoire, which works well as an ingredient for the whole casserole (in "Willing and Able") but falls short on its own as in the frivolous "Jughead."

"Diamonds and Pearls" seems to be an attempt to smooth out Prince's intriguing rough edges to allow for across the board success. Although this is not a generally positive change, in this case, the mid-paced tracks (the title song and "Money Don't Matter 2 Night") prove to be refreshingly accessible and lyrically down to earth, treating us to a more balanced than usual Prince - caught somewhere between pumping the beat and pumping the bed.

As nearly everyone knows, Michael Jackson does not suffer from the same financial concerns as his competitor, but rather from good old fashioned sibling rivalry. Therefore, it comes as no surprise that Michael does Janet's RHYTHM NATION one better - he hired producer Teddy Riley to update his trademark sound into the new current "new jack swing" fad. Devoting over half of "Dangerous" to the relentless sound may give him hit after hit, but these songs quickly grow monotonous and stale. Except for the slamming "Jam" and a duet with a "mystery girl" on the misleading "In The Closet" (call me cynical, but Michael seems to have been taking self hype lessons from Madonna - first the ridiculous "controversial" video and then the song title wasn't Madonna saying how she'd like to bring Mike out of the closet - what an uncanny coincidence!) the first half blurs, with the same constant beat and mercilessly repetitive But when Michael takes charge on the second half, the results are more varied and interesting: "Who Is It?" and "Give In To Me" have dark tones of suspicion and lust, "Will You Be There?" is an exhilaratingly sincere



gospel tune sung with genuine emotion. "Dangerous?" Not even close, but catchy, crafty and sometimes beguiling, definetly!

If you're in a gift giving quandary, a fine and simple solution is a greatest hits compilation for the lucky recipient on your list. Record companies happy to oblige your good-natured generosity produce a plethora of choices this time of year. Most satisfying of the current crop include the Pet Shop Boys' "Discography" and Tina Tur-ner's "Simply the Best," both of which feature new songs destined to be classics.



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"Life is Sweet" provides

Characters with an Unordinary Story

by Chris Gerald

Life is sweet for any actor who is fortunate enough to work with director Mike Leigh.

Given a finished script, usually an actor's job is to make the lines work, whether they feel right to the actor or not (unless, of course, you happen to be Robert DeNiro or Dustin Hoffman). But in this case the actors for Mike Leigh's new film, opening at the Tower Theatre in January, "Life is Sweet" were never given a final script. Using a three month rehearsal period the actors developed not only their characters and their relationships but the dialogue as well in an improvisational atmosphere. It is apparent in the finished product that actors Alison Steadman, Jim Broadbent, Claire Skinner,

Prospero's Books is Stunning yet Lacks Meaning



John Gielgud.

eter Greenway's last film, "The Cook, The Thief, His Wife and Her Lover", was a fascinating film full of stunning visual integrity.

His newest work, "Prospero's Books," is visually stunning but has none of the heart of its predecessor. Based on Shakespeare's final play, "The Tempest," Greenway's version is all sound and fury signifying nothing. There is more to great art than hundreds of multi-colored nudes.

Must see
Excellent
Good
O.K.
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Claire Skinner, Jane Horrocks in "Life is Sweet."

Jane Horrocks and Timothy Spall made the most of their time.

"Life is Sweet" is a character study of a working class family in England. There is a rare naturalness in this film to the people and their relation-

ships to one another. Leigh uses his main theme of having dreams as a subtle backdrop to his story about staying young and growing old. Seemingly ordinary people who turn out to be not so ordinary after all.

No Comeback for Minelli

iza Minelli's "Stepping Out" is a thin attempt at a comeback after her brightly starring role in "Cabaret" was eclipsed by a series of quirky yet oddly disappointing films.

Here she plays a dance teacher, tap to be exact, to a group of quirky yet oddly disappointing characters. Their attempts to learn about life and themselves is cloyingly contrived from opening reel to final credit. ONLY for diehard Minelli fans.

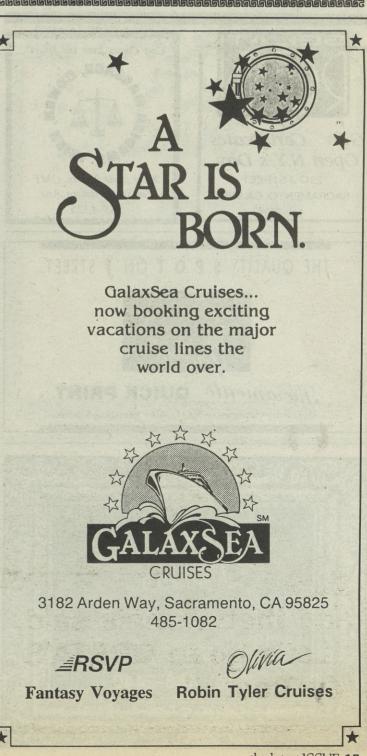


Shelley Winters.









FA CON STAFF



Kevin Cohee has been the graphic coordinator for the latest ISSUE since its inception in 1988. Expressive and insightful, loving, witty and occasionally catty, Kevin is a joy to work with.

He came to Sacramento in 1981 and went to Club 21 the first night he was here. "Within 48 hours I had a

Kevin Cohee Name:

33 Age:

Hometown: Greensboro, MD

Favorite T.V. Show:

20/20 (Intellectual)

Favorite Food:

Vices:

Soft Shell Crab Dairy Queen Blizzards

Pet Peeves: Jesus Stickers

gang of friends. . . I love Sacramento."

Maud Noss was one of the first friends Kevin made and she recruited him to layout a newspaper called the Rambler. "We used scotch tape to lay it out," he recalls. The Rambler was the "bar rag" that got Kevin into the newspaper business.

He went on to work at the Patlar, San Jose's Our Paper, the Suttertown News and then the latest ISSUE.

He received his certificate in graphic design from the University of Davis extension program in 1990.

DEADLINES

The editorial deadline for our next issue is January 1st. Camera-ready advertising materials are due by January

"I think of the work that I do with the latest ISSUE as my way of contributing to the gay rights movement -- it is my way of giving back to the community."

He uses his talents to design promotional items for lesbian/gay events and charities including the Lambda Freedom Fair and the Rainbow Festival.

He is active politically through the Lambda Letters project and his own letter writing campaign. He has also been a member of groups such as the Court of the Great Northwest Imperial Empire, the Capitol City Squares, River City Democratic Club and is a founding member of the Business Alliance for Networking Gays (BANG).

Work is a driving force in Keyin's life. He owns his own house cleaning business and sells advertising for the latest ISSUE while in the process of building his other business, Off Paper Visuals. "It caters to the visual display needs of small businesses."

To assume Kevin is all work and no play would be misleading. He can be seen a few times a year parading around in drag with best friend Tom Romanotto. Accessorizing and color matching is just an extension of his

In the May 1984 edition of Honcho Magazine, Kevin's more butch side can be seen in the seven page spread featuring leather, levi and very little else.

. He has been in a love relationship with Ed Walker for more than eight years and says of his partner, "I admire him more than any man I've met." The two men share a home in the Oak Park neighborhood of Sacramento.







patterns for women in the city. She noted a preference now for one-night-a-week-rent-a-clubs with strange sounding names.

Streicher also noted the closing will mean San Francisco no longer has a bar exclusively for lesbians. She seems amazed at the irony of a city renowned as a sanctuary for the gay community which now has not one lesbian bar.

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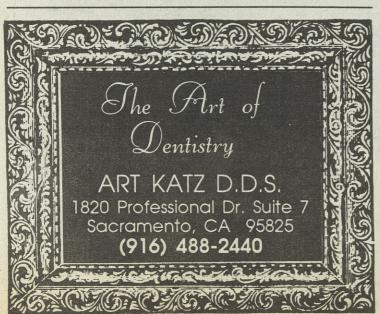
L.A. Meeting for 1993 March

arch on Washington organizers are I meeting on January 18-19, 1992 in Los Angeles, for the 4th national planning meeting for the March on Washington, set for April 25,

Representatives (4 elected from each of the nation's 17 regions - 68 total) are meeting to make important decisions, including the election of a 9 member Executive committee, the selection of the official name of the march, and the decision as to which organizations and constituency groups will be included on the National Steering Committee.

The January meeting, like all March on Washington meetings, is open to all interested parties. For more info about the meeting contact Robin Tyler (818) 893-4075.







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GALLERY GUIDE!

Margaret Maye's Art is Alive With Imagination

by D. Oldham

acramento artist Margaret Maye has come a long way in her 74 years. Her works are included in such private collections as Katherine Hepburn, Gloria Steinem, Sen. Edward Kennedy as well as in many public collections.

In 1967 she began by taking art classes and selling her work in shopping mall "Art Shows." Her works are now exhibited in some of the finest art galleries in this area.

Margaret was 'discovered' by gallery owner Michael Himovitz during a mall sponsored art competition (in which Himovitz awarded her "Best of Show"), and gave Margaret her first exhibition at his downtown gallery in 1984. The work from that first exhibit sold out, with the prices about \$75 each. The upcoming exhibition at the Himovitz/Miller Gallery (see listing), will contain works priced at \$1,000 and higher.

Margaret is well known for her pastel figurative renderings on sandpaper, and the Himovitz/Miller exhibit contains some fine examples of why she has become such a popular artist.

Like most artists, Margaret has always been interested in art, however, before becoming a "full-time" artist she had many other careers. She began as a teacher in a parochial school while she was a nun in the Franciscan Sisters

of Perpetual Adoration. She later lest the order to serve as an x-ray technician in World War II. Margaret received a Master's Degree in Psychology in 1954 and worked as a piece. These are a visual reference to the artist and her partner of over twenty years, Carol Bottimore. Carol keeps all of Margaret's files in order, assists in the business aspects of art and is responsible for giving the artist her first art history books. Also contributing to Margaret's success is long time art collector, Silda Covington, whose collection of Maye's work spans over 30 years and includes over 100

When questioned about her work, Margaret is very open and says, "I try to allow my

of being human; producing all with some balance of humor." The artist is as charming and enchanting as her paintings. Check the listing and try to make it to Margaret Maye's next opening so you can meet one of Sacramento's best. You are sure to leave the gallery smiling!

Margaret Maye Exhibitions and Receptions

Dec. 1 - Jan. 12: Group exhibition at Winkler's Gallery in Sutter Creek. For hours and directions call 209) 267-0396.

Jan. 7 - 31: Exhibition at Himovitz/Miller Gallery at Pavilions. For hours and info call 925-5917.

Jan. 9: Artist Reception: Himovitz/Miller Gallery at Pavilions, 6 - 8 pm.

Apr. 23 - May 30: "Gone Fishin'", A group exhibition at Archival Framing. For hours and info call 444-9624.

Apr. 25: Artist Reception: Archival Framing, 7 - 9 pm.



Margaret Maye with one of her most recent works.

counselor before retiring to devote herself to art on a full time basis. She continues to study and recently attended a class in modern British art at Oxford University in England.

When you look at her work you may notice the two angels that appear to float above some of the figures in each

subconscious mind to reveal itself and cooperate with my conscious mind, using whatever I have learned about art to create something that is new and meaningful. I hope that my work reveals something about the human condition, the pathways happened into; not forgetting the nature



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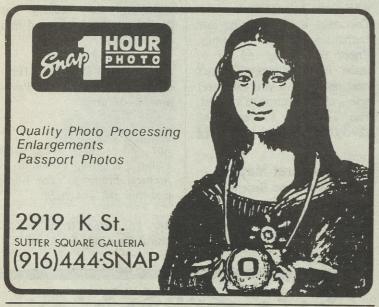
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reaching they might forbid him from hiring a homosexual entertainer. Jester and his wife say that while they are not gay, they have a right to challenge any city law that may be invalid.

The suit, filed on November 21, stated that Measure M (which would remove the sexual orientation category from Concord's new human rights ordinance) would: enforce policies in violation of other state and federal statutes; limit the legislative powers of the city council; violate rights of free speech; be deemed vague and unenforce-

On November 18, the election results were announced, and upheld that Measure M only passed by 42 votes out of a total 23,374 ballots. The measure's opponents are attempting to raise \$3,400 to finance a re-

The suit may be consolidated with a suit expected to be filed by attorneys with the American Civil Liberties Union.

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Within minutes, an ambulance was on the scene transporting Eric and I to San Francisco General Hospital. After examining me the paramedics determined that the blade of the knife had penetrated my left lung, causing it to collapse; that was the reason for the difficulty I experienced in breathing. "You're very lucky, the knife came within two inches of your heart," the doctor said to me.

We were lucky in the sense that we survived the gay bashing attack. Many in the past have not been as fortunate.

Every gay man and lesbian must be concerned about his/her own, and our com-

munity's safety when venturing into the public domain, especially in light of recent actions across the country that perpetuate a violent at-

Our inattention almost proved to be a fatal mistake.

mosphere against specific minority communities.

Be willing to become involved if you happen to witness a gay bashing assault. United, we can fight the homophobic bigots and prevent further annihilation of our community.

MILITARY

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what is now known to be a fatal and incurable virus--the HIV. The interest we as a nation have in a healthy military cannot be underestimated."

Of the 2.9 million applicants screened between the inception of the testing program in 1985 and December 1990, only 3,479 (.1 per cent) were found to be HIV positive, according to a report from the Pentagon. Active-duty personnel who test positive are allowed to remain on duty until illness prevents them from serving and they are given a medical discharge. According to a report dated September 1991, there were 1,888 on duty members of the military who tested positive for the virus.

According to the Pentagon, about 1,400 women and men are discharged for being gay or lesbian. Despite an earlier statement made this year by Defense Secretary Dick Cheney that the belief that homosexuals could be more easily blackmailed was "an old chestnut," the judge ruled in favor of the longstanding policy.

"The quite rational assumption is...that with no one present who has a homosexual orientation, men and women alike can bathe, sleep and use the bathroom without fear that they are being viewed as sexual objects," Gasch said.

Prior to the hearing, the plaintiff's attorneys--who plan to appeal the verdict-- sought to have the judge disqualified after the judge used the word "homo" in a hearing. The judge later said that he meant no offense by the





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Holiday Hints: Try to Avoid the Bean Dip

by Stacy Selmants

he end of the year holiday season is the chance everyone gets to really feel the full fawning flush of what it must feel like to be popular, as dozens of friends, community groups, and (gasp!) even bars throw wild fetes on a nightly basis, in competitive attempts to lure you in out of the the cold.

What separates the men from the boys, the butch from the femmes, and guarantees repeat invitations to those trendy annual shindigs is simply adhering to what we like to call the "Not Raised By Wolves" (NRBW) Party Guest Rules.

There, of course, are three main reasons to attend holiday get togethers:

1.) To celebrate the love you have for friends and family, maybe observe some religious stuff, and suck on wet candy;

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2.) To get a date lined up for Valentine's Day;

3.) Because after a strong dosage of applied guilt, someone made you attend.

If you are at a party due to Reason (3), the NRBW Party Guest Rules MAY not apply, since you are probably (a) totally unconcerned about the host's feelings about you and are (b) misbehaving, seeking a cheap easy revenge upon the person who forced you to attend. Good behavioral etiquette may, in

such cases, fall by the wayside.

Other elements of the social behavioral scale may involve other, seasonal components; I make allowances. For example, whenever I hear about a social catastrophe where someone backslid and became a maladept, frothing maniac at a holiday gala, my first question is invariably: "Had he been shopping?"

So there you are, wedged into a tight wing collar and bow tie, or in a strapless gown and "Come, jump me" pumps (even you women!) feeling edgy, tired, deciding whether being hostile is really worth expending the energy. You have to get through this event, and would prefer to do so without concluding the evening with a brush with the law, if at all possible.

Relax. Take a breath. It's a snap, a no-brainer, if you just let yourself follow the NRBW Party Guest Rules:

1.) Always know the hosts. Or

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at least know who the hosts are. One of the biggest ways to shut down a party is when the host (who upon gazing at dozens of strangers in his home, imagines that he has just reached the height of popularity) overhears people drunkenly exclaiming, "SO! Who lives here?" as they hold the host's animals over the balcony by their paws. Then the "E Cure" is implemented. Enforced exodus of all party guests

2.) Leaving with Other People's Dates is not recommended. This practice creates a security crisis for the individual involved. Date theft is especially damaging to those new age men, who have successfully completed a drumming retreat to reaffirm the male animal within themselves. These party guests actually pretend they WERE raised by wolves, and are still very raw and tend to growl and bite if someone steals their dates.

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Also, a good rule of thumb is not to abscond with the main squeeze of ANYONE named "Bubba."

3.) If you drink to excess, do not drive to excess. As the members of the "Just Say 'Maybe' Club" will tell you: excessive drinking is something from which you can generally recover. Excessive driving is not. 4.) And finally, stay away from

the bean dip. I mean it. You know what beans do to you. (Have a safe, happy holiday.)



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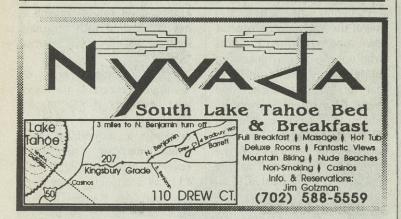
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leaders of human rights and public health."

Lynn Shepodd, a former Roberti staffer and now the Executive Director of National Coming Out Day remembered how Hadden served as the Capitol's first AIDS expert, who volunteered untold hours writing and rewriting AIDS bills for other staffers who came to him for help.

"How could he say 'No'?" Shepodd said ruefully, "People's lives were at stake."

Sheppod has a living remembrance of Stan, since Stan (a devout animal lover) bequeathed her his only female kitten from a recent litter. She named it Stan. "She's a lot like him. Warm, cuddly, and very

'much her own person."

Away from the Capitol, Ken Topper, Hadden's co-worker, friend, family and lover was a witness to Stan's more infrequently playful, silly side-- a part of him that he partially submerged in later years as fighting AIDS consumed most of his attention.

"The time he wanted to put together a romantic evening at my family's house and filled the jacuzzi with Mr. Bubble was very much out an episode of 'I Love Lucy,'" Topper recalled. "He looked so cute there, waist deep in the suds, which kept SPURTING out. And he just looked up and grinned, and said, 'Oops!"

After being the primary caregiver during Hadden's bouts with HIV related illnesses, Topper can only look ahead. "I walk

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But Topper knows that the political spotlight will now turn

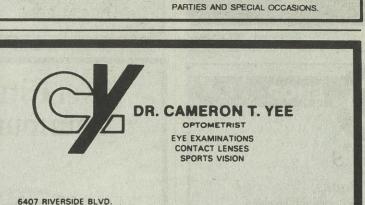
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to him. "Stan mentored me for years, preparing me for this. He was very serious about having someone to carry on the work. However, I will be doing it differently," he explained.

"Stan did a lot of it himself, and I am more interested in having more people come in, to help. I look at it as an empowering experience," Topper added. "I am prepared and ready to keep going with this. I've been behind the scenes for a long time. But it's time to step out of the shadows. And Stan helped me to do that."

Memorial services will be held on Friday, January 10, at 2 p.m. at St. Francis of Assisi Church in downtown Sacramento. Any donations in memory of Stan Hadden should be made to the Sacramento Regional Foundation, the Stan Hadden CARES Fund, which will provide services for clients of CARES. Their number is: (916) 927-2241.





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